THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR): Fgures of balances in the Non-Resident External Rupee Accounts and the Foreign Currency Non-Resi-dent Accounts during the period February, 1991 to October 1991 are given below:—

(Figures in Rs, Crors,)

Period Ending	NRE	FCNR (US$)	FCNR (UK Stg)	FCNR (DM)	FCNR (Yen)	TOTAL
28-2-91	7183	11104	275	1185	951	20698
31-3-91	7349	11270	305	1005	825	20754
30-4-91	7375	10992	367	855	626	20215
31-5-91	7393	11293	465	833	576	20560
30-6-91	7483	10642	526	761	528	19940
31-7-91	7490	12638	841	924	610	22503
31-8-91	7593	12307	1041	904	613	22431
30-9-91	7595	11844	1218	865	528	22050
31-10-91	7595	11469	1397	736	542	22006

Proposal to amend Representation of People's Act

445. SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA:

SHRI MENTAY PADMANABHAM:

Will the Minister of LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government proposed to amend the Representation of the Peoples Act to provide that the sche duled election in a constituency should be countermand only in the case of the death of a party nominee; and

(b) if so, what are the details in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS (SHRI RANGARAJAN KUMARA-MANGALAM); Yes, Sir.

(b) The Representation of the People (Amendment) Bill, 1990, which was introduced in Rajya Sabha on 30.5.1990 contains a provision to restrict countermanding of polls to cases of death of a candidate set up by a recognised political party.

Proposal for establishing High Court Benches in Thalassery and Thiruva-nanthapuram

446. SHRI SUBRAMANIAN SWAMY- Will the Minister of LAW, JUSTICE AND COMPANY AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Kerala Government have made any proposal for establishing High Court benches in Thalassery and Thiruvananthapuram; and